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## COUGARS OPEN FOOTBALL ON SEPT. 27TH

Six Schools In League Embracing Mother Lode Counties To South

King Football has been sitting on his throne for more than a week at El Dorado County high school and a field of fifty aspirants is battling for positions on the Cougar team, which opens its schedule on September 27th.

The inter-scholastic league this year, according to Coach L. A. Brown, will consist of six schools, reaching as far south as Angels Camp and the winner of the league season will be the mother lode league champion.

Coach Brown has announced an eight-game schedule of which five are league games, and the Cougars will get their first try at night football this year, playing night games at Auburn and at San Andreas.

Looking over the Cougar prospects for the year, Coach Brown is bemoaning the loss of Fullback Homer Castonia, Quarterback Cecil Gibbs and Bill Butts. Butts has withdrawn and Castonia and Gibbs were graduated.

With eight men of last year's first string eleven returning to the moleskins, Coach Brown has hopes that the Cougars may make things interesting for some of their opponents this year. In addition to the eight, there are about twenty more who have had some experience at playing the game.

Coach Brown reports that Sonora high school is playing in a San Joaquin Valley league this year and Tuolumne is playing six-man football.

This leaves the Bret Harte high school, at Angels Camp, Calaveras high school, at San Andreas, Jackson (Continued on Page Four)

## Fair Office Is Closed

Unclaimed Checks For Premiums Mailed To Successful Entries

The offices of the fifth El Dorado County Fair, which have been maintained since the close of the fair August 24 in the basement of the courthouse, were closed on Saturday.

Members of the fair board announced Monday that the premium checks which were then unclaimed have been addressed to the award winners through the mail.

On the other side of the ledger, it was said, the fair's accounts have been cleared and the apparent next order of business will be a report to the Board of Supervisors on the completed business of the fair.

Since the inception of the County Fair five years ago the exposition has been under the management and direction of a county fair association, constituted by the membership of El Dorado Post No. 119, American Legion.

The American Legion has expressed a desire to be relieved of the responsibilities of management of the county fair in the future and it is, presumably, incumbent upon the members of the Board of Supervisors to arrive at some alternative arrangement.

## COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD OUTLINES COURSE IN SOCIAL STUDIES

The regular September meeting of the county Board of Education, held Saturday at the school administration offices, undertook the work of setting up a course of study in social studies in the schools of the county.

The board recommended that life diplomas be issued to John H. Palmer, of Placerville Grammar school, in general elementary, secondary and administrative classifications. Life diplomas are issued by the state Department of Education, which is usually guided by the recommendations of county boards of education.

The board also considered revision of the report card form.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Barker returned Saturday from a week spent on the Monterey Peninsula and at Santa Cruz.

## Head's New Cabinet



Election of Arthur W. Fadden as Prime Minister of Australia is reported to have ended, for the time being, the bitter quarrel the Labor Party had with the resigned government's handling of the war. The crisis arose when the then Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies insisted on going to London to represent Australia in empire war councils.

## CITY ATTORNEY WILL RESIGN

Richard Barry Planning To Accept Appointment With Farm Security Board

City Attorney Richard Barry will tender his resignation at the adjourned meeting of the city council, to be held tonight at city hall.

Mr. Barry, it was learned, is resigning to accept an appointment as attorney for the Farm Security Administration, with headquarters at Berkeley.

While official comment was not immediately available, it appeared that Mr. Barry's desire to be relieved of his responsibilities as city attorney at the earliest possible date probably was responsible for advancing the date of the council's adjourned meeting of the month from September 22 to September 15th.

The council also will approve a resolution expressing its appreciation for the State Highway Commission's order making U. S. Route 50 an all-year road, and will hear from Works Superintendent Russell Anderson a report to the effect that the street widening project on Spring Street, at the curve near the Joseph Schwartz property, is all but completed.

Mr. Barry's evident intention to remove from the city will make it necessary for the Placerville Ski Club to name a new president, the young attorney being also the president of that organization.

## LIONS WILL CONSIDER BOWLING ENTRY AND TEAM ROLL-OFF

Placerville Lions will discuss a proposal for having the club represented again this year in the county bowling association, as one of the items of business at their regular Tuesday luncheon at Hotel Raffles.

The guest speaker for the day will be Mr. Elia, representing the Salvation Army.

At a recent meeting, directors of the club voted to recommend to the club that a bowling team be entered in the association and suggested that a roll-off be held among interested Lions to select a club team.

It was the intention of the directors that participation in the roll-off would be limited to those who definitely plan to bowl with a Lions team during the season.

## Navy Recruiter Resumes Placerville Visits

Arthur R. Hill, of the Sacramento district recruiting staff of the Navy, will resume his regular Tuesday visits to Placerville on Tuesday of this week and will be found from noon until 3 o'clock in the afternoon at Room One in the basement of the postoffice.

Mr. Hill failed to visit Placerville on Tuesday of last week, cancelling his trip since the day was Admission Day, a state holiday generally observed in the community.

Men interested in discussing the opportunities for enlistment in the Navy or in the Naval Reserve should meet Mr. Hill on Tuesday at Room One in the basement of the postoffice.

## BOOTH, FILM WRITER, HELD IN ROBBERY AND MURDER AT LOS ANGELES

Wife Jailed On Technical Charge Of Burglary; Couple Lived In County Several Months After Author's Parole From Folsom State Prison

El Dorado County friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest G. Booth, who made their home in Placerville for several months following Mr. Booth's parole from Folsom Prison, were shocked Monday morning to learn that the couple are being detained at Los Angeles in connection with a sensational murder.

A report of the current incident follows:

By CHARLES R. MOORE  
United Press Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD, (UP) — Ernest G. Booth, 43, who gained fame as an author while serving in the penitentiary and whose movie writing included a story for red-headed Clara Bow, was held by police today on suspicion of murdering Mrs. Florence Stricker, 42, wealthy physician's wife.

Mrs. Stricker's body was found Saturday evening in a closet of her home in the fashionable Silverlake District. The home had been ransacked. Mrs. Stricker had been beaten with an unidentified weapon. The front of her skull was crushed. Dr. George H. Stricker, discovered the body when he arrived home from his office. He told police he and his wife had expected to entertain Mr. and Mrs. Booth at dinner. More than an hour after he had discovered his wife's body, Booth telephoned to say they would be unable to keep the engagement.

Booth denied any connection with the crime and also denied that they had a dinner engagement with the Strickers.

"Of course I know I've got quite a record but that was a long time ago and doesn't mean anything now," he said.

Booth refused to make any statement concerning his actions on Saturday until reporters were present.

"I want some unbiased persons present when I make my statement," he said.

He then wrote out in longhand a statement saying he and another writer were collaborating on an article concerning Stricker's drugless work on tuberculosis.

"We left Stricker's office with a manuscript Saturday morning and drove out Sunset Boulevard quite a ways and sat there reading it from 10 a. m. until 1 p. m.," he said.

"Then I returned home and got my wife and went out for a drive. Sunday my wife and I drove to the desert."

Police said they interviewed witnesses who saw Booth and his automobile near the Stricker home on Saturday. Booth said he had not been near the district.

Investigators said robbery apparently was the motive for the slaying. Two large diamond rings were missing from Mrs. Stricker's fingers.

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A number of purses were found scattered about the house, their contents spilled on the floor.

Booth's wife, Mrs. Valerde Booth, was booked later on a technical charge of burglary. Her detention followed a search of the Booth apartment. Police declined to reveal what they had found beyond three guns.

Stricker said he and his wife did not know of Booth's prison record. Mrs. Stricker recently inherited \$250,000 from her father, a former mayor of Findlay, Ohio. She operated several apartment houses and collected antique jewelry. Police reported she sometimes kept large sums of money in the house.

Police said they believed Mrs. Stricker's assailant entered by the front door, probably on Saturday morning. Bruises on Mrs. Stricker's arm indicated she had attempted to ward off blows, they said, while tears and marks on clothing in the closet indicated the killer struck several more blows after attempting to conceal the body.

The slayer then apparently made a frenzied search of the entire house. Contents of desk and bureau drawers were scattered about, and clothing had been pulled out of closets and dumped on the floor.

Booth was sent to prison in 1924 under 25-year sentence for robbery and previously he had been convicted on forgery and auto theft charges. While in county jail here, he and another prisoner escaped. They were captured in San Francisco and Booth was sent to San Quentin.

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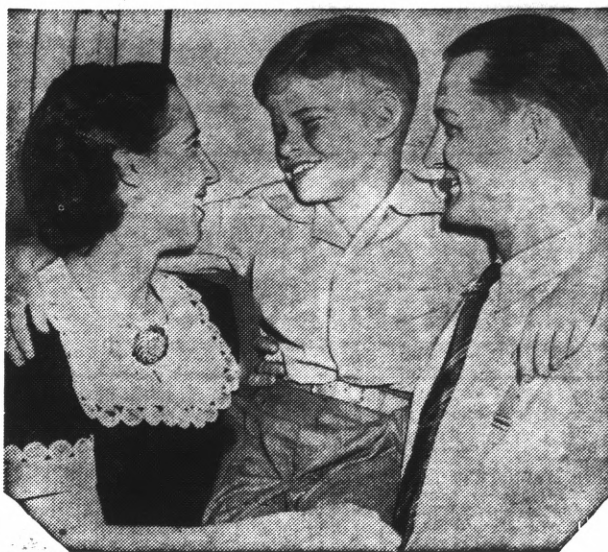
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## 'Homeless Jerry' Gets a Home



Smiling his joy, 11-year-old "Homeless Jerry" is shown with Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Creamer, who have taken him into their Chicago home. They adopted Jerry unofficially after reading in the newspapers that he had been excluded from his own home by his parents and had slept in an abandoned auto all summer, eating scraps from a bakery.

## BOWLERS PLAN 4 LEAGUES

17 Of 24 Clubs Definitely Counted In With 9 Others Tentatively Enrolled

The County Bowling Association met Friday night at Hotel Raffles to advance plans for the start of the winter season of league play and revealed that there are prospects of four leagues of six clubs each.

Association Secretary Jack Cummings said there are seventeen clubs counted as definitely in the association and that there are nine other clubs which have indicated their intention of taking one of the seven remaining berths.

Prior to the association meeting, officers of the association were dinner guests of the Pear Bowl management.

The general membership meeting followed and the association presented Curt Coppin, secretary for the past year, with a bowling ball in appreciation for his services.

The membership instituted plans for raising funds to send a county team to the American Bowling Congress, to be held next April at Columbus, O., and appointed Wallace Ripley and Bill White as chairman of a committee to be named later.

It was announced that a county association team, a team representing the American Legion and one representing Murray's store, will participate in a tournament at Lodi October 18 and 19.

Adjournment was taken with the understanding that effort will be made during the present week to complete the roster of clubs which will bowl under association auspices this season.

In the absence of Association President Ogden Hook, who was ill with a cold, Vice-President Joe Beach conducted the meeting.

Former County Couple In Divorce Court At Sacramento

Sybil M. Neel has brought suit for divorce at Sacramento from H. R. Neel.

Mr. and Mrs. Neel were formerly residents of Diamond Springs, the former being employed in the lumbering industry and highly regarded by his employers.

Since their removal to Sacramento, Mr. Neel has established his own wholesale lumber agency, known as the H. R. Neel Lumber Company.

The couple wed August 9, 1922, in Sabine Parish, La., and Mr. Neel separated from his wife on June 9, 1938. She charges cruelty.

School Superintendent To Attend Conference

County School superintendent K. W. McCoy reported Monday morning that he will be at Sacramento on Wednesday to attend a conference called by the State Department of Education.

Mr. McCoy said that with the resumption of class work at Brandon school on Monday, it is believed all schools of the county are now in session.

Ralph Adams is here from Vallejo visiting friends.

## El Dorado Youth Loses One Eye

Franklin Shinn, son of Mrs. Edson Shinn, of El Dorado, and a comparatively recent recruit to the Navy, was the victim in an unfortunate accident Thursday of last week in Los Angeles harbor, according to word received by his mother.

Mrs. Shinn left immediately for Los Angeles upon receipt of word of the accident and was to be joined at Los Angeles by Mr. Shinn, who is located at King City.

Friends report that the substance of the advice received by Mrs. Shinn was that her son had been struck on the side of the head by a wrench in such a way that he lost the sight of one eye.

Young Mr. Shinn was home within recent months on furlough and at that time expressed himself as well satisfied with service in the Navy and very much interested in the opportunities for earning advancement.

We shall hope to hear that first reports of the accident have been exaggerated.

## GEORGETOWN NATIVE IS TAKEN BY DEATH IN PLACERVILLE

Mrs. Almyra R. Isabell, 69, wife of Frank Isabell, of Diamond Springs and a native of Georgetown passed away Saturday evening at Placerville Sanatorium where she had been a patient about ten days for injuries received in a fall on the street at Sacramento.

She was making an excellent recovery from the effects of the fall when heart complications developed.

The funeral services will be held at one-thirty o'clock Tuesday from Memory Chapel, Rev. Burrus, of the Diamond Springs Community Church, will have charge. Burial will be at Georgetown cemetery.

Mrs. Isabell was a sister of Ira and Bert Cushman, of Georgetown and Albert Cushman, of Colfax. Several nephews and nieces also survive.

Aukum Resident Passes At Hospital Saturday

Ned L. Kirk, 53, for the past year a resident of the Aukum district, died Saturday evening at Placerville Sanatorium where he had been under treatment for about ten days. Mr. Kirk was thought to be getting along satisfactorily when he developed heart complications.

A native of Pleasant Grove, Utah, he was a railroad switchman at Oakland where his wife, Laura, and eight children survive him. The body was removed to Oakland Sunday for funeral services and interment.

Modestan Pays Charges On Broken Fire Hydrant

Ray C. Kincannon, of Modesto, was fined \$84.75 in city court Monday morning, which was the amount it cost the city to replace a fire hydrant, found to have been broken as a result of his negligence or carelessness in the operation of his automobile.

## NAZIS PERIL UKRAINE IN PINGER MOVE

Turkey Believed Pressed To Lend Co-Operation In Axis Black Sea Campaign

By UNITED PRESS

The Red army fought today to pinch off a strong German thrust toward Russia's war industry center in the Ukraine and to defend the threatened but defiant cities of Leningrad, Kiev and Odessa.

Greatest danger to the Russians appeared to be developing on the upper Ukraine front, where two German offensives slicing through the "hinge" of the southern and central fronts pushed toward Kharkov and sought to flank the Red army Dnieper line defending the Don industrial basin.

Progress of these two thrusts — one southeast from Gomel and one across the Dnieper at Kremenchug, was admitted by Moscow, but the Russians reported their tanks, artillery and infantry clawing at the Nazi flanks and inflicting heavy losses on the enemy in an effort to cut off the spearheads.

The north Ukraine operations threatened to encircle the capital of Kiev, which has been fighting off the Germans for more than two months, while on the northern front the Nazis claimed they had broken through the outer defense of Leningrad and were assaulting the former czarist capital.

There seemed to be a good possibility that before their campaign in Russia has developed much further the Germans will attempt to bolster their attack on the Ukraine with naval operations in the Black (Continued on Page Four)

## Placer Trustees Ponder Charges

Unemployment Insurance Swindle Charged To Associate College Dean

AUBURN, (UP)—The board of trustees of Placer Junior College today withheld dismissal of Leonard W. Sledge, educator arrested on charge of participating in a state unemployment insurance swindle, pending confirmation of the charges.

The board announced it had received a telegram from Sledge saying, in part, "Sorry you will have to cancel my contract." He had been appointed associate dean of the Junior College for the term opening this month.

However, the board adopted a resolution stating Sledge's contract would be revoked "if the facts substantiate the charges."

## Roland Martin Weds Auburn Girl

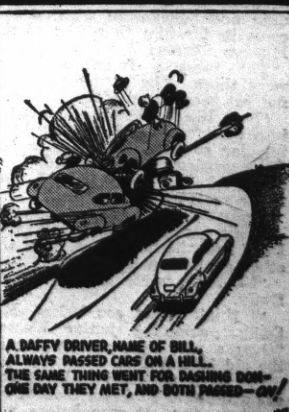
Friends are learning of the recent marriage at Reno of Roland Martin, formerly of Placerville, and Miss Frankie Sorenson, of Auburn.

Mrs. Martin has been employed at Sather's Grill in Auburn and her husband is manager of the Auburn Club, in the Placer County seat.

John Arthur, of the Agricultural Conservation Association, was on the south side of the county Monday in field work.

George Wood, of Cold Springs recently returned from the Veterans Home at Napa, much improved in health.

## TRAFFIC TIPS AND QUIPS



A DAFV DRIVER, NAME OF BILL, ALWAYS PASSED CARS ON A HILL. THE SAME THING WENT FOR DASHING DOWN ONE DAY THEY MET, AND BOTH PASSED—OH!

NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL



## On The Air Tonight

5 to 6 p. m.  
 KFBK—News: 5:10 Royal Clowns;  
 5:15 Treasure Island; 5:30 News;  
 5:45 Ted Steele.  
 KROY—The Serenade: 5:15 Duke  
 Ellington; 5:30 News; 5:45 Walt  
 Schuman; 5:50 Homestead Boys.  
 KSFO—Lux Radio Theatre.  
 KPO—Dr. I. Q. program; 5:30;  
 Floyd Wright; 5:55 Howard &  
 Shelton.  
 KGO—String Serenade: 5:30;  
 News; 5:45 Ted Steele; 5:55 the  
 Nickel Man.  
 KFRG—Captain Jack; 5:15 Gate  
 Guardians; 5:30 Shafter Parks.

5:45 Russell Bennett.  
 6 to 7 p. m.  
 KFBK—Gordon Jenkins; 6:30  
 Radio Forum.  
 KROY—Baseball Scores; 6:31;  
 Dinner Serenade; 6:15 News; 6:30  
 Blondie.  
 KSFO—Freddie Martin; 6:30;  
 Blondie.  
 KPO—Contented Program; 6:30  
 Cavalcade of America.  
 KGO—Gordon Jenkins Orchestra;  
 6:30 Montgomery-Kaplan Fight.  
 KFRG—Raymond Gram Swing;  
 6:15 Imperial Time; 6:30 James  
 Doyle; 6:45 Studio.

7 to 8 p. m.  
 KFBK—Campus Reporter; 7:15 Bob  
 Chester; 7:30 World's Best.  
 KROY—News; 7:05 Concert; 7:30  
 WPA; 7:45 Buddy Cole Orchestra;  
 7:55 News.  
 KSFO—Amos and Andy Program;  
 7:15 Lanny Ross; 7:30 Gay 90's  
 Revue; 7:55 News.  
 KPO—Pleasure Time Program;  
 7:15 Lum and Abner; 7:30 The  
 Short Stories.  
 KGO—7:30 Ozzie Caswell.  
 KFRG—Gabriel Heatter; 7:15 Cal  
 Tinney; 7:30 Lone Ranger.  
 8 to 9 p. m.  
 KFBK—True or False; 8:30;  
 Point Sublime.  
 KROY—What's On Your Mind;  
 8:30Lad Huskin; 8:45 Fanfare.  
 KSFO—What's On Your Mind; 8:30  
 Dial-o-Word; 8:45 Harry James.  
 KPO—Music Interlude; 8:05 Bill  
 Clifford; 8:30 Joint Sublime.

KGO—True or False; 8:30 Memory  
 Book; 8:45 Chuck Foster; 8:55 the  
 News.  
 KFRG—P. M. Inaugural; 8:30  
 Double or Nothing.  
 9 to 10 p. m.  
 KFBK—Emile Petti; 9:30 the  
 News; 9:35 the Traveling Show.  
 KROY—Caesar Petrillo; 9:15 Deep  
 Night; 9:55 News.  
 KSFO—News; 9:15 the California  
 Caravan; 9:45 Deep Night; 9:55  
 News.  
 KPO—Hawthorne House; 9:30 Pick  
 a Tune; 9:55 Sports.  
 KGO—9:30 Memory Book of Mel-  
 odes.  
 KFRG—News; 9:15 Fulton Lewis  
 Jr.; 9:45 Pop a question.  
 10 to 11 p. m.  
 KFBK—10:30 Concert.  
 KROY—Bob Crosby; 10:30 Freddie  
 Nagle.  
 KSFO—The News; 10:15 William  
 Winter; 10:30 Freddie Nagle.  
 KPO—Richfield Reporter; 10:15 the  
 Band Stand; 10:20 Roller Derby;  
 10:30 Concert Hall.  
 KGO—Chamber Music Society;  
 10:30 Melodies by Miller.  
 KFRG—Griff Williams; 10:30 News  
 10:45 Jimmy Lunceford.  
 11 p. m. to Midnight  
 KFBK—Orchestra; 11:45 News  
 Broadcast.  
 KROY—Marshall and Carter; 11:30  
 Manny Strand; 11:55 News.  
 KSFO—News; 11:10 Symphony  
 Hall; 11:40 Manny Strand; 11:55  
 News.  
 KPO—Music 11:30, Dave Mar-

### Loren Atwood Awarded Trip To Del Monte

Loren Atwood, of the El Dorado  
 Insurance Agency, is one of twenty  
 agents in Northern California to win  
 an expense paid weekend at Del  
 Monte as a result of his life insur-  
 ance writing for the Travelers In-  
 surance Company. The event is to  
 take place this coming weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Keema, of  
 Yerrington, Nevada, and Mrs. Jas.  
 Sutton of Winnemucca, Nevada,  
 spent several days with J. G. Leon-  
 nardi and family. The ladies are  
 sisters of Mr. Leonard.

Miss Clarice E. Cook, Grand Pres-  
 ident of the Native Daughters,  
 spent the weekend at the Leonard  
 home here.

Christopher Compton, of Kelsey,  
 suffered a fractured hip in a fall on  
 Main Street Saturday evening and  
 was removed to Placerville Sanatori-  
 um for treatment.

With even telephone traffic step-  
 ped up by defense, \$1,700,000 worth  
 of new lines are being installed in  
 the area between San Francisco and  
 Los Angeles.

shall: 11:55 News.  
 KGO—News Broadcast; 11:15,  
 Music You Want.  
 KFRG—Ernie Hecksher Music;  
 11:30 Johnny Davis.

## HER HIGHNESS

by JOHN A. MOROSO

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### SYNOPSIS

Following the death of her par-  
 ents, 13-year-old Minnie Fogarty  
 escapes from her home when the  
 Children's Society sends for her  
 and is befriended by Pop Dolan,  
 kindly old watchman at Wessel's  
 big brewery. Sheltered in the com-  
 fortable office of the idle brewery,  
 Min is very happy with Pop and  
 his dog, Terry, who are devoted to  
 the "Princess of Pilsen," as Pop  
 calls her. All goes well until Min  
 is informed she won the Calcutta  
 Sweepstakes, and her ne'er-do-well  
 brother, Danny, tries to get Min  
 away from Pop so he can share her  
 fortune. Bill Duffy, dapper young  
 detective reveals that Danny's wife  
 is in prison and is no fit guardian  
 for Min. Then comes the news  
 that Min's winning of the Sweep-  
 stakes was an error and her dream  
 of luxury and marriage to the  
 Prince of Wales fades. She seems  
 more than satisfied, however, when  
 Bill says she will marry no one but  
 him. Realizing it is for Min's good,  
 Pop reluctantly accepts the offer  
 of his wealthy employer, Andrew  
 Wessel, to educate Min. Andrew  
 Wessel, Jr., is greatly attracted to Min...  
 and her brother, Danny, plans to  
 obtain money from her picture taken  
 under threat of taking Min from  
 them. A still Pop operated as a  
 side-line explodes and the brewery  
 is destroyed. Due to Danny's  
 money demands, Mr. Wessel tells  
 his son it would be unwise to  
 marry into such a family. Min  
 longs for Pop and Terry, and as  
 soon as she learns of the fire, she  
 goes in search of Pop. She finds  
 him and together they start anew.  
 Pop gets another watchman's job  
 and Min is cashier in a restaurant.  
 In the meantime, Bill Duffy has  
 been searching everywhere for  
 Min and finally locates her. He in-  
 forms Min she is really 16 instead  
 of 13. Preparations for Min's wed-  
 ding are dimmed with the news  
 that Andrew attempted suicide for  
 love of her. Bill takes Min to head-  
 quarters to have her picture taken,  
 and his confederates jokingly suggest  
 that he take her fingerprints and  
 measurements so she can't get  
 away again.

### CHAPTER XII

Hennessey filled in the regulation  
 identification form as Duffy, with  
 Minnie standing on a little plat-  
 form, donned off the measurements,  
 height, reach, trunk, hips, etc., etc.  
 Bill almost forgot she was the  
 "Queen"... she was just another  
 moll going down into the records in  
 such sure fashion that there would  
 be no earthly probability of her ever  
 avoiding identification.  
 Then the fingerprints, one at a  
 time of the right hand, then the  
 left hand, then the clamping down  
 of the four fingers of the right hand  
 simultaneously.  
 "Peculiarities of habits and ac-  
 tion," Bill asked Hennessey, read-  
 ing from the form. Bill stood back  
 and studied the "Queen."  
 "Crosses and uncrosses fingers of  
 right hand," he replied. "At's all  
 I can see."  
 "Minnie Dolan, alias Her High-  
 ness," "Crime!"  
 The on-lookers burst into laugh-  
 ter. "Marrying Duffy!" shouted a  
 voice.  
 "Just leave that out, Hennessey,"  
 ordered the expected groom.  
 Bill took his girl down the steps,  
 between the stone lions guarding  
 them at the entrance of the gilt-  
 domed building, and kissed her  
 good-night.  
 "I got you roped now, Queen," he  
 said.  
 The romantic Wessel story had  
 been worked at last to the last frus-  
 tration and young Andrew Wessel was  
 healed of his wound and could ap-  
 pear in public without press mole-  
 station. The Duffy-Fogarty (alias  
 Dolan) wedding was one week off.  
 Detective Duffy had hardly  
 reached his desk for the last night  
 of work before his vacation, wed-  
 ding and honeymoon when a call  
 came in for him to report to the  
 Missing Persons Bureau.  
 The Wessels' father and son,  
 were there. The young man had  
 not yet been cured of love-sickness.  
 "Say, Bill," asked the lieutenant  
 in charge, "that girl you were look-  
 ing for so hard is the same one  
 about 16. Did you find her? You  
 never reported on the case."  
 Duffy was stunned for a moment.  
 "This gentleman is Mr. Wessel,"  
 Bill said the lieutenant, "and the  
 other gentleman is his son."  
 "Glad to meet," murmured  
 Duffy.  
 "I think I met you before, Mr.  
 Duffy," said the junior Wessel.  
 "Over a year ago, one evening in  
 the old brewery."  
 "Oh," admitted Bill, stalling  
 as hard as he could for time. "I re-  
 member now. It was before you

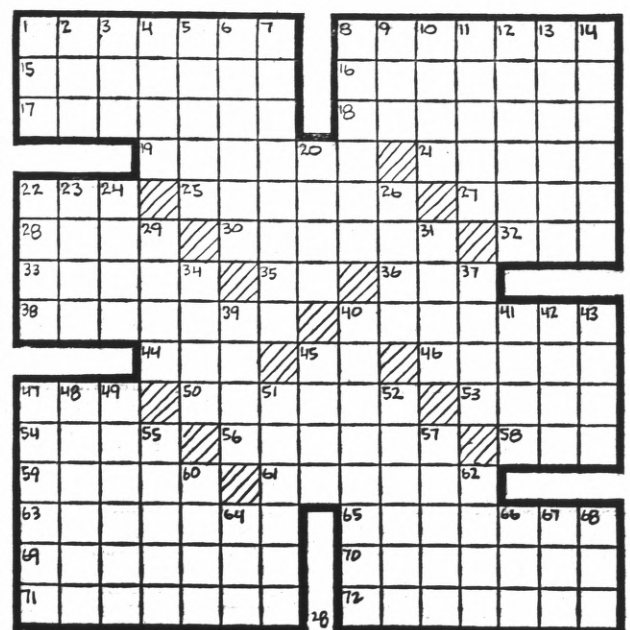
took Minnie away. Yes, that's  
 right. We had some little talk  
 about the swells improv' Min,  
 huh?"  
 "Some little difference of opinion  
 over giving her a chance to get  
 ahead," admitted Wessel.  
 "Maybe she ran off because she  
 didn't like your gang," suggested  
 Bill. "Sure if she wanted to come  
 back she'd have come back by now  
 after all the stuff that's been print-  
 ed in the papers."  
 "I agree with you," said the  
 father. "But my son doesn't agree  
 with you or with me."  
 "Can you help them out, Bill?"  
 asked the lieutenant. Duffy showed  
 a hand nervously through his  
 blonde locks. ... Then came the one  
 great inspiration of his life—out-  
 side of the one that had made him  
 a great success in the business of  
 Minnie's birth to discover her right age  
 and thus win for himself a wife.  
 And he said slowly and sadly:  
 "You people don't want to find  
 her... If you do, you'll only run  
 into trouble. To begin with I'll tip  
 you that she ain't a little kid.  
 She's a woman and she can't travel  
 in your class. Do you get what I  
 mean?" They shook their heads.  
 "What's the idea, Bill?" asked  
 the lieutenant. "Tell 'em. I got a  
 lot of work to do here. Take 'em  
 down your office."  
 The Wessels followed the detec-  
 tive to the Identification Bureau.  
 He left them in the little outer of-  
 fice for a few minutes and then  
 called them in, taking them to the  
 picture gallery.  
 Swinging out the large frames  
 from the wall there, Duffy showed  
 them scores of portraits of female  
 criminals of every degree of in-  
 iquity.  
 "Here's what you're looking for,"  
 he said finally. He had placed  
 copies of Minnie's pictures, full  
 face and profile, in with the pic-  
 tures of numerous women convicts.  
 Duffy held in his hand the record  
 Hennessey had filled out a week be-  
 fore. In the blank for "Crime" was  
 written: "Wayward. Larceny.  
 Blackmail."  
 Father and son stared with white  
 faces at the picture of Minnie in  
 its grim rogues' gallery setting.  
 "She's pretty, ain't she?" asked  
 Bill. "Now just look at this Jane."  
 He turned a frame and pointed out  
 a sweet face, the face of a young  
 madonna, gently sloping cheeks,  
 full lips, eyes filled with dreams.  
 "She's one of those gangster molls  
 —held a torch to the bare feet of a  
 bird who wouldn't come through;  
 she."  
 "Enough!" interrupted young  
 Wessel.  
 "Come, son," said Mr. Wessel.  
 "No, we're not holdin' Minnie—  
 now," said Bill as he walked them  
 to the door. "We had her but some  
 guy put up bail and she jumped.  
 Well, good night. ... You're  
 welcome."  
 Mr. and Mrs. Simon and the lit-  
 tle Simonese, all wonderfully ar-  
 rayed, Mr. and Mrs. Goldfah and  
 the small Goldfahs, Mr. and Mrs.  
 Antonio Caccavaloni from the Gas  
 House with their parents, their  
 children and two aunts and an un-  
 cle, Mrs. Blutch, the candy and lot-  
 tery lady, wearing a bonnet with a  
 spray of violently shimmering black  
 jet, were present. And so were F.  
 Cassidy ("Flatfoot") in a hired  
 tuxedo, Pete Miller, the mail man,  
 with sharply sloping left shoulder,  
 and the entire night force of the  
 Identification Bureau at Police  
 Headquarters in dark business suits  
 with boutonnieres of pink bridal  
 roses.  
 They sat at the banquet table of  
 the Golden Hind, vases of roses in  
 a line down the center, fine linen  
 and silver and cut glass, the orches-  
 tra playing merrily. They had all  
 attended the Duffy-Fogarty nup-  
 tials in a little church in the Bronx  
 and had been whisked down to  
 Harlem for the wedding breakfast  
 ahead of the bride and groom; and  
 Pop, who had returned to the flat  
 for the honeymoon baggage.  
 A signal from the headwaiter  
 and the jazz ceased. The Men-  
 delsohn wedding march burst joy-  
 ously on the air and the guests  
 leaped to their feet with shouts of  
 welcome. The bride's going-away  
 gown was blue silk piped with mag-  
 nenta, her hat a dream. The groom  
 had chosen a suit of orange tinge,  
 blue shirt and collar (a la Jimmy  
 Walker) and dark green spats.  
 Pop looked like a banker in his new  
 suit and a gold chain across his  
 equator, almost heavy enough to  
 anchor the Leviathan. From his  
 right hand dangled a stretch of  
 bright new yellow leather. At the  
 other end was Terry, white as mar-  
 ble, walking with a rheumatic limp  
 but still in the parade, his one eye  
 watchful.  
 "To the bride!" cried Mr. Gold-  
 fah, lifting his glass.  
 "To the bride," echoed everyone.  
 "To Pop!" enthusiastically toast-  
 ed Mr. Simon, whose furniture

business was now on its feet again  
 (thanks to Pop's "cordial" profits)  
 under the firm name of Simon &  
 Dolan.  
 "To Pop!" responded the chorus.  
 Then came the first toast to the  
 groom. Signor Antonio Caccavaloni  
 proposed it, his great dark eyes  
 roving up and down the table, his  
 swart complexion flushed. He  
 stroked his black mustache, exquis-  
 itely curled, as he awaited silence.  
 Tony's huge shoulders were thrown  
 back and from the center of his  
 dress shirt a diamond shone like  
 the headlight of a crack locomotive.  
 "I drink da health of Mr. Duffy,"  
 he announced with emotion. "He's  
 wan-a good-a boy. I wish he have  
 motcha happiness. Felicitat! When  
 he did-a duty in my distric' by da  
 Gas House he always keep-a da  
 good eye open for da prohibition spy  
 and Caccavaloni gettin' da tip,  
 quack-like-a dat! He's wan-a  
 quack-a boy. And he has no peeg.  
 Mr. Duffy was reason-able always.  
 Felicitat!"  
 The tribute was from the heart  
 as the big dark eyes of Signor  
 Caccavaloni were swimming. Pop  
 was choking as he held back the  
 laughter. Messrs. Goldfah and  
 Bloom applauded wildly. Bill Du-  
 ffy's conferees bent over each other  
 and whooped.  
 "Can you tell that, Pop?" groaned  
 the groom. "On my wedding day!  
 If there was a bottle handy I'd  
 crown him."  
 But Signor Caccavaloni had taken  
 his seat, glad that he had had the  
 opportunity to express his appre-  
 ciation of a considerable friend.  
 "Speech! Speech!" shouted Bill's  
 co-workers of the law. "Duffy!  
 Duffy!"  
 The bridegroom rose.  
 "Thanks," he said. "Thanks for  
 my wife and myself. If a guy plays  
 game square it's all you can  
 ask of him. Tony knows I never  
 ast him for any dough for helping  
 him out. It was just a present he  
 made me now and then, and he  
 knows that if business was dull he  
 didn't hafta make me any present  
 or any other cop or bull. Cassidy  
 will bear me out. Am I right, Cas-  
 sidy?"  
 "Right!" shouted "Flatfoot."  
 "Am I right, Pop?"  
 "Right!"  
 "Pop! Pop!" came the demand.  
 "Ladies and gentlemen," said  
 Pop easily, "I know we all wish  
 the young people happiness. That's  
 what we're here for. So long as  
 they help each other and be  
 considerate of each other they'll be  
 happy and I'll be happy with them.  
 I brought Terry with me because I  
 thought I'd feel lonesome after Min  
 and Bill left for their wedding trip.  
 We can learn a good lesson from  
 this old warrior who lies so pa-  
 tiently content at my feet. He's  
 brave and loving and in his time he  
 was a terrible fighter, fighting  
 without hate, fighting only because  
 he was born to fight. Terry never  
 asks a friend whether the law is for  
 him or against him. In his quiet  
 way he just says to the one he loves,  
 "I'm for you, Boss, for YOU!" In  
 my time I've read a lot of philoso-  
 phers and historians but I don't re-  
 member any of them getting closer  
 to this simple thing of unques-  
 tioning devotion—of blind, beautiful,  
 unselfish love. If Min and Bill have  
 it for each other they're going to  
 get real happiness out of life.  
 Here's—God bless them!"  
 Mrs. Blutch, whose bonnet was  
 twinkling at a foolish angle, lifted  
 Terry so that his front legs got a  
 grip on the table and he could take  
 a bow or, rather, respond with a  
 few bow-wows of delight.  
 The guests plunged into the  
 feast and the fiddlers sawed away  
 with their hearts in the job. The  
 rice was thrown in showers as Min  
 and Bill departed for their ship.  
 The headquarters men hurried to  
 their jobs. "Flatfoot" Cassidy de-  
 posited Mrs. Blutch in a taxi to  
 take her safely back to the candy  
 shop. Mr. Simon had sent his fam-  
 ily home.  
 "Let's walk," he suggested to  
 Pop as the last of the guests de-  
 parted and, with Terry happily  
 jogging between them, the partners  
 started for the Bronx in the deep-  
 ening twilight.  
 At Seventh Avenue traffic held  
 them to the curb. In one of the  
 waiting cars, an expensive one, de-  
 scending a handsome young man was  
 seen laughing and chaffing with a  
 pretty girl.  
 Pop studied the young man's face  
 closely. There was a long searing  
 mark near his right temple.  
 "Look," he said to his partner.  
 "There's the rich young man who  
 was in love with my Minnie. At  
 least he thought he was in love with  
 her. Well, he's happy again and  
 that makes me and will make Her  
 Highness all the happier."  
 (The end)

## Crossword Puzzle

By LARS MORRIS

ACROSS													ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE																																										
1—Processions	14—Nourishing food	16—Wind flower	17—Train of results	18—Gentlewomen	19—Most terrible	21—Slatterns	22—Vegetables	23—Orderly arrangement	24—Family of birds	25—Egg-shaped	26—Dispatcher	27—Bacon	28—Biblical name	29—Predict again	30—Adviser	31—Cotton and wool	32—Material	33—In legal valid word	34—American poet	35—Recurring year	36—Thrown	37—One (Scottish)	38—Tear apart	39—Hebrew interviewer	40—Zealous state of mind	41—Allow	42—Abate	43—Trigonometric function	44—Multitude	45—Declare confidently	46—Festive show	47—Bench	48—Baths	49—Ceremony	50—Aid	51—Author's original words	52—Palatial	53—Climbed	54—Mix	55—Buns	56—Sliding vehicle	57—Castion	58—Suppressed	59—Flower cluster	60—Magistrates of ancient Rome	61—Bell	62—Landed property	63—Burns	64—Mathematical solids	65—Raise oneself	66—Type of file	67—Likewise not	68—Combinate form (at)	69—Light brown	70—Middle western state (abbr.)



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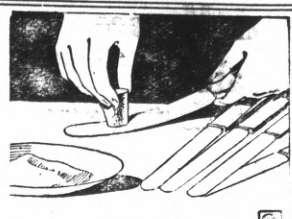
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## Around The House

With ANN COMFORT



Using a cork to clean steel knives—s  
the handle. Just dip the cork in scouring  
powder and rub knives, then wash well  
and dry.

Through the courtesy of Leland Hughes of Pleasant Valley we are permitted to use in The Democrat this week a picture of the Spencer House, taken in 1868 on the day of Grant's election to the presidency. On the upper verandah to the left are Robert Norris, who purchased the Hotel from Spencer in 1864, and his son, Albert Norris, who taught school at Pleasant Valley. The little boy in the foreground is George McKinney, who died here in Placerville last winter. In the picture are Henry Larkin who had been elected assemblyman, James McLaughlin the blacksmith, and Captain John, the old Indian of Pleasant Valley.

As you may know, Pleasant Valley was a Mormon settlement. In 1848 a party of Mormons, returning from Mormon Island to Salt Lake City were attracted by the pleasant contours of the meadowland. While building a corral for their stock, they discovered gold. Some of the party returned, for in 1849 the Pleasant Valley Gold Mine was in operation. By that time the people were beginning to pour through the valley from Stonebreaker hill on the old Carson Emigrant Road to Placerville.

A part of the Spencer House was built in 1856 from pine boards made in a nearby sawmill. In 1859 it was enlarged and made into the building we see today. It was the scene of many a gay ball. Handsomely printed cards announcing these balls are still to be found in many of our local collections of cherished mementos.

The house has worn well. There is something about the red paint, the green shutters, the cottonwood trees that give the house a distinct picture quality. Its friendly aspect reflects the general good feeling of the past. Guests were never asked to register; there were no locks on the doors and the rooms were unnumbered. A guest was always accepted as one of the family, so to speak.

The favorite dishes of those guests have passed into oblivion but Mrs. Hughes contributes two recipes that are favorites in the Spencer house today when it is no longer a hotel but a private home. From her Swiss ancestors, Mrs. Hughes learned to make:

### Swiss Polenta

Make desired amount of cornmeal mush using the coarse polenta meal. Spread polenta in a skillet. Make a gravy by frying 1 medium-sized onion, 1 clove of garlic in 3 tablespoons of olive oil until brown but not scorched. Add 1 cup tomato and season with salt, pepper and parsley. Cook until it begins to thicken. Pour over top of polenta. Sprinkle generously with your favorite cheese which has been grated, and place in a moderate oven for 15 minutes. Serve hot.

A way to cook rice which is new and at the same time old is:

### Swiss Risotto

Brown an onion in 3 tablespoons of oil or butter in a frying pan. Wash 1 cup of rice and put rice in pan. Brown, stirring carefully all of the time. Pour enough boiling water over it to cover and keep stirring frequently. Season with salt and with the merest suggestion of cinnamon. When it is done sprinkle with cheese and serve hot.

Our modern department announces that fall costumeing calls for a prodigal hand with color. The favorite seems to be Petunia-pink-for-evening to be used in a cape or long gloves, for day wear in a suit or hat. Vermilion leaning toward orange and the purple for suits or dinner dresses will be good. That old favorite brown touched with orange

has come back. The blues are different again this year—the most popular being blue-green, turquoise and royal blue.

But black is also prominent, especially black profile hats and shades of the old days—black silk stockings are coming back. Black dinner dresses covered to the wrists and throat are being shown.

A subscriber sends in two recipes she used in old England:

### Curried Eggs and Peas

Boil fresh peas until tender. Halve hard cooked eggs. Place the peas around eggs in a deep casserole, pour over a thick white sauce which has been flavored with chopped mint and a dash of curry powder. Sprinkle over a little finely-chopped onion and diced crisp bacon. Serve with a side dish of boiled rice.

### Crinkle

This is a good luncheon dish. Line a baking dish with thinly sliced onion. Mince left-over cold meat and season it with salt and pepper. Add pulp of two tomatoes and cover with another layer of sliced onions, then bread crumbs and still another layer of onions. Bake in hot oven until onions are brown.

## NINETY-FIRST DIVISION SCHEDULES REUNION AT SAN FRANCISCO

SAN FRANCISCO—We're Coming! home to hold our annual convention—Friday, Saturday and Sunday, October 3, 4 and 5, in the city filled with memories, of previous joyous reunions and homecomings, all the more reminiscent, of that day of days early in 1919, when up gayly bedecked Market Street, the boys of Powder River, back from the battlefields of France and Belgium, tried to form ranks but finally gave up under the pressure of the million or more loved ones and friends, who gathered from all California, swarmed over every inch of the happy way, from Ferry Building, to Grand Stand, set up in front of the City Hall in the Civic Center.

This year they are coming by the thousands, according to the statement of general chairman Lawrence (Larry) Barrett, well known veteran leader, appointed to the important role by 91st Division President Jean Bercut; coming not only from every city and hamlet in the West, but from many states throughout the nation, where live former 91st Division men who served as replacements sometime during the battle service of the Wild West Division.

Convention Headquarters have been set up at 128 Veterans' Building, and from now on, up to the days of reunion, a staff of 91sters, will be busy at work, on arrangements, and with the heavy work of contacting their comrades, and publicizing the gathering throughout the country. The offices will be open day and night.

## COMMERCE CHAMBER TO MEET TONIGHT AT HOTEL RAFFLES

The regular September meeting of the El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight at Hotel Raffles.

Secretary Wallace M. Ripley reports that there are a number of items of particular community interest which will be submitted to the membership. Among these will be the question of furthering the proposal for an airport at Lake Tahoe, and the matter of lending support to the matter of encouraging all-year travel over Highway 50 and assisting in the development of winter sports.

## Tank Warfare in Louisiana Maneuvers



Mechanized warfare is practised by U. S. troops in maneuvers around Camp Polk, La., as a tank corps theoretically meets the enemy. Corp. Spirit of Redlevel, Ala., waits patiently with his Thompson sub-machine gun for a couple of rapid shots while his tank division waits in ambush for the enemy.

## CALIFORNIA FARM PARADE

By United Press

The good neighbor policy today made this farm news from our sister countries to the south of particular interest to us. First—the agriculture department said that the United States continues to hold first place as a buyer of Argentine hides and skins—and it seems that the more skins and hides that Argentina produces, the more we'll buy. Exports to the United States reached a new high in June.

Next, Peru may get out of the rice-importing class soon. It's expected that the land of the Incas will have its biggest rice harvest in years, and the Peruvian government says that for the first time in six years, Peru will have enough rice for her own needs.

And, in Uruguay, where the government encourages the production of oilseeds, the peanut crop has tripled itself to nine million pounds this year. But sunflower seed production in Uruguay has done a lot better, an eight-fold increase from 11-million pounds to 90 million this year.

The final note from the lands lying to the south comes from Bogota, Colombia, where it is hoped that self-sufficiency is about to be reached in milk products. A new business organization there plans to manufacture and distribute the milk products that formerly had to be imported. And one of the means the group will use for higher dairy production is improvement of Columbian cattle strain by breeding. Modern methods of hygiene and sanitation are to be introduced more widely also.

Meanwhile, the agriculture department appointed a man to help meet farm labor problems in producing food and other important farm products. He is William J. Rogers, a native of Texas, who will direct the labor and rural industries division of the office of agricultural defense relations. Rogers formerly had been chief of the farm placement of the U. S. employment service.

The agriculture department reports that the growing condition of vegetable crops, for the country as a whole, has improved during the later part of August. In the North Atlantic states rains helped, but it continued to be dry and hot in parts of the east north-central states. Too much rain fell in some of the western areas, and some Colorado crops were hit by hail. In the northwest and far west, crops made normal progress.

## El Doradoan Reported To Have Knifed Self

The United Press reported from Salem, Oregon, on Friday, that Jas. Polkins, identified as from Placerville, was recovering from self-inflicted knife wounds. The man was said to have been found on a downtown Salem street with a note in his pocket indicating his despondency.

L. L. Ellis has been under the doctor's care for a lacerated hand suffered at Fallen Leaf Lake where he is employed.

## John L. Davis Taken Into Custody On Assault Charge

John L. Davis was arrested during the weekend on a charge of assault and battery and was released on bail of \$20 pending hearing Friday in the Justice's Court of Placerville township.

County jail attaches reported that the complaint against Davis was issued at the request of Albert Simpson and was understood to be based upon events alleged to have taken place several months ago at or near Pollock Mines.

## Camino Man Fined \$200 For Drunk Driving

Arrested during the weekend by city officers, Charles E. Robinson, of Camino, was found guilty in city court Monday morning on charges of drunken driving and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$200 or serve one hundred days in jail. Robinson indicated he would endeavor to pay the fine.

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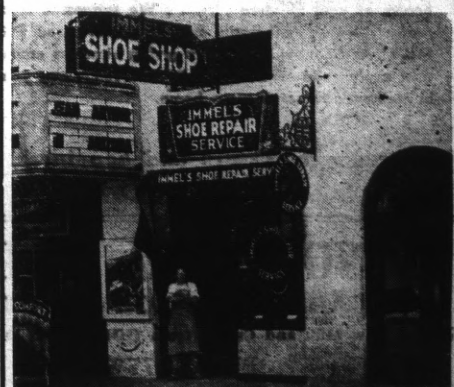
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### MISCELLANEOUS

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## Replace Men in Philadelphia Gas Stations



Because of the shortage of men caused by the demands of the Army and defense industries, girls are replacing men as attendants in Philadelphia gas stations. Berget Hollman is shown filling up the radiator, while Sophie Boychuk tries to convince a customer that his car needs more oil.

### Recorder's Filings

August 28, 1941

Deed, George W. Boswell and wife, to J. W. and Rose Baldwin.

Lis pendens, Meta E. Orelli vs. Rachel Robins and others.

Discharge of conditional sales contract, Northwest Engineering Co., to Eclipse Placer Engineering Co.

Quitclaim deed, Lillian M. Campbell to Dr. Theodore Snypp.

Bill of sale, Mrs. R. L. Cattinich to Clifford Parvin.

License to appropriate water, state of California to L. Huntley.

Order confirming sale, estate of Starke S. Saffold to Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Co.

Administratrix deed, Florence L. Walden, administratrix of estate of Starke S. Saffold to the Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Co.

Quitclaim deed, Harriet W. Saffold to Alaska Juneau Gold Mining Co.

Deed, Marie Emilie Dean and others to Edwin E. and Milton F. Kinsey.

Order authorizing administratrix to execute lease, estate of John J. Bayne.

Trust deed, Willis E. and Lotus Pettree to trustees of Chris and Anna M. Henningsen.

Reconveyance, trustee to E. T. and Pat Trefren.

License to appropriate water state of California to W. M. Miller.

August 30, 1941

Decree terminating life estate of Owen E. Hughes.

Notice of non-liability, by J. E. Fox and others.

Deed, E. S. and Lillie B. McBride to Hugh S. and Margaret M. Cameron.

Location notice, Rocky Point by James Miser.

### Pedestrian Near Shingle Hit By Car, Is Fined

Charged with walking on the wrong side of the highway and with being drunk on a public highway, Ralph Van Valkenberg, of near Diamond Springs, was given a \$5 fine and a thirty day jail sentence, the latter being suspended, when found guilty Monday morning before Justice of the Peace Richard G. Hosking, at El Dorado.

Van Valkenberg was the cause for "the excitement" which some motorists returning to Placerville from valley points noticed near Shingle Sunday evening. It is reported that he had been a passenger on an east-bound bus, bound for Diamond Springs.

The driver called "Shingle Springs," and the "Springs" registered with Van Valkenberg and he got off the bus and after he discovered his mistake he started to hike along the highway to Diamond Springs.

He was hit by a passing car. The name of the driver of the car is not known but was undoubtedly taken by Highway Patrolman Chas. Flick, who at this writing is "down the road" and out of telephone communication.

The Orelli ambulance was called from Placerville and the victim was removed to the Sanatorium, where a doctor found his hurts not serious but the patient remained overnight.

Monday morning he was taken in to custody at the hospital and appeared before Justice of the Peace Hosking as above reported. The circumstances would appear to indicate that there were no charges against the driver of the car.

Mrs. S. M. Millard of Milbrae were calling on friends in Placerville over the week-end.

## Cougars Tell Grid Schedule

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son, Sutter Creek and Ione, with the Cougars, in the Mother Lode Inter-Scholastic football league.

The Cougars will play their first game of the schedule, which is a league game, on September 27 at Marcus P. Bennett, Jr., Memorial Park against the Bret Harte high school.

The October 3 game will send them to Auburn for a non-league encounter with Placer Union High School under the lights.

October 11 the Cougars will be hosts to Nevada City in another non-league game, at Bennett Park.

October 17, Cougars vs Calaveras at San Andreas, for a night game, and October 25 the Cougars play Jackson in Placerville.

November 1, Cougars at Sutter Creek.

The Armistice Day game, against San Juan, will be at San Juan again.

"This will make us even up," Coach Brown said, "and after this year we can return to the home and home arrangement which was interrupted a few years ago by the fact that San Juan was putting in a new field."

The Cougars will close their schedule on November 14 in a league game at Bennett Park with the Ione high school.

Coach Brown said that the basketball league will consist of the same schools as the football league, with the addition of Tuolumne County high school, forming a seven-club hoop loop.

### Reckless Driver Is Fined \$45

Rees Evans, arrested during the weekend on charges of reckless driving, was found guilty Monday morning in city court and fined \$45. Evans paid \$25 of the amount and indicated he would serve ten days in jail to complete the balance.

### NEWS PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ward left Saturday for San Francisco for a short stay following which they planned to go on to Eureka for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stefens, returning home after a ten-day trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Hunt were visitors in Placerville Saturday from Los Angeles. Mr. Hunt is the editor of The Grizzly Bear, official publication of the Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West.

Mrs. Rex Adamson, daughter of Mrs. Wahl, of Coloma Street, was returned Saturday from Sacramento where she had been taken Wednesday for treatment by a specialist.

Mrs. Adamson was hurt in a July 4 auto accident and is to remain at her mother's home for about six weeks when the results of the specialist's treatment of her leg injury will be determined.

Mrs. Agnes Walter, of the Sanatorium staff, is on vacation and spending it on a fruit steamer trip to the Panama Canal zone.

Howard Ellis and wife were in Placerville over Labor Day holiday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ellis. Howard is employed with the North American Aircraft Company at Inglewood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Todd of Sacramento, formerly of Placerville, were visiting friends over the week-end.

## PRESIDENT URGES UNITY AND SACRIFICES TO LEGION

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throughout the country is stimulating patriotism had been "a source of great satisfaction" to him. He felt confident, he added, that the administration and the nation could "count on the same interest and cooperation in meeting whatever is to lie ahead."

After Warner had read the President's message to the convention, Knox delivered an address in which he revealed that beginning tomorrow U. S. Naval forces "will provide protection as adequate as we can make it" for ships carrying the lend-lease supplies between the U. S. and waters around Iceland.

The President said Thursday that the "shoot-on-sight" order was effective "at once." Knox did not explain the delay until Tuesday.

## in other words

by JOHN CLINTON

Occasionally I drop out to Union Oil Company's experimental tune-up laboratory, where they tune up

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"Look at that," I said to Earl. "She's almost as bad as some of the men I've seen!" Earl said—"Trouble isn't with her driving, John; it's with her car. She's spending so much time coaxing it along that she's not watching the road."

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## Nazis Menace Ukraine

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Reports and rumors of imminent Bulgarian collaboration in such a move have been increasingly frequent in the last few days. The Germans have built strong naval bases at Varna and Burgas on the Bulgarian Black Sea coast.

The Germans are believed to have been attempting to obtain Turkey's cooperation for such a campaign without, however, success as yet.

Wallace Carroll, United Press staff correspondent, dispatching his first report since arriving in Moscow from London, reported that he was impressed by the totality of the Russian war effort.

There were new signs today that Finland is trying to ease herself out of the war—a difficult task in view of the strong German forces now in that country.

V. A. Tanner, foreign minister of Finland during the first war with Russia and now minister of trade and industry, said in a speech which

admitted the existence of a big Finnish peace party that Finland would fight no longer than necessary.

The situation appeared to be that Finland would be glad to get out of the war now that she has won back most of the territory previously lost to Russia but that the Germans refuse to let her quit.

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